power project in May, 2001 following contractual disputes between the Maharashtra State Electricity Board and M/s. Dabhol Power Company, numerous efforts have been made to facilitate revival of the project by the Ministry of Power, Ministry of Finance, Indian Financial Institutions led by Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI) and Government of Maharashtra (GOM). The latest initiative has been the constitutions of an Informal Advisory Committee (IAC) by the Ministry of Finance to evolve a strategy to restructure and revive the project. The Ministry of Finance have informed that the Committee has discussed the various issues with the concerned stake holders and is considering alternative approaches to restructure and revive the project. A specific proposal has not been finalized in this regard.

IAY houses for SCs/STs and weaker sections in Himachal Pradesh

178. SHRI ANIL SHARMA: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) the number of people belonging to SC/ST and Other Weaker sections who have been provided housing facilities under the Indira Awas Yojana in Himachal Pradesh during the last five years, year-wise, district-wise and community-wise; and

(b) whether it is a fact that there are many such poor families in the State who have not been considered for such facilities, if so, the details thereof and the reasons for ignoring them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI U.V. KRISHNAM RAJU): (a) A statement showing District-wise details of houses constructed druing 1998-99 and 1999-2000 and District-wise and Community-wise details of houses constructed/upgraded in Himachal Pradesh from 2000-2001 to 2002-2003 is annexed. (*See* below).

(b) The beneficiaries under the Scheme are selected by the Gram Sabha out of the list of eligible BPL families as per the provision given in the guidelines of the Scheme. Within the given resources, it has not been possible to cover all the eligible beneficiaries.

Statement

District wise Number of Houses Constructed/Upgraded for Scheduled Caste, Scheduled Tribes and others Communities in Himachal Pradesh during 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2000-01, 2001-02 and 2002-03 under Indira Awas Yojana.

Himachal Pradesh — Unit in Nos

Sl. No.	Name of the Districts	1998-99* Total Number of Houses Cons-tructed	1999-2000* Total Number of Houses Cons-tructed	2000-2001 Nos. of Houses Constructed/ Upgraded for			
				Scheduled Caste	Scheduled Tribe	Others	Total
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bilaspur	218	247	101	4	102	207
2	Chamba	675	263	70	59	91	220
3	Hamirpur	206	174	67	0	153	220
4	Kangra	431	501	218	0	261	479
5	Kinnaur	42	177	0	165	0	165
6	Kullu	222	199	80	0	38	118
7	Lahul and Spiti	48	63	0	29	0	29
8	Mandi	724	182	212	1	126	339
9	Shimla	469	254	83	0	60	143
10	Sirmaur	267	665	484	14	389	887
11	Solan	389	576	247	5	230	482
12	UNA	183	410	165	0	262	427
	TOTAL	3874	3711	1727	277	1712	3716

Sl. No.	Name of the Districts	2001-2002 Nos of Houses Constructed/ Upgraded for				2002-2003 Nos of Houses Constructed/ Upgraded for			
		Scheduled Caste	Scheduled Tribes	Others	Total	Scheduled Caste	Scheduled Tribes	Others	Total
1	2	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1	Bilaspur	105	4	98	207	97	2	96	195
2	Chamba	63	80	113	256	69	62	105	236
3	Hamirpur	64	0	107	171	60	0	93	153
4	Kangra	253	0	359	612	197	0	345	542
5	Kinnaur	24	81	0	105	39	77	0	116
6	Kullu	101	5	59	165	12	0	5	17
7	Lahul and Spiti	0	65	0	65	0	25	9	34
8	Mandi	206	2	152	360	201	3	134	338
9	Shimla	39	0	19	58	5	0	3	8
10	Sirmaur	451	13	370	834	481	12	314	807
11	Solan	278	2	257	537	339	0	218	557
12	UNA	193	0	289	482	144	0	266	410
	TOTAL	1777	252	1823	3852	1644	181	1588	3413

*The Ministry started monitoring community-wise figures relating to construction of houses w.e.f. 2000-2001. Prior to that figures relating to number of houses constructed only were being monitored.